

Amendments to the Abstract:

Please replace the Abstract of the Disclosure with the following amended Abstract:

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

~~RETRACTABLE PARCEL SHELF SYSTEM FOR A CONVERTIBLE
VEHICLE WITH A FOLDING ROOF~~

The system comprises a stop means (46), fixed to the central panel (7) and moving with the same towards the front or the rear of the vehicle. ~~Said means are~~ The stop is embodied such that when the central panel (7) pivots to the rear to pass from the retracted position to the normal position with the roof (1a) in the stored position, said stop means (46) abuts a complementary formation on the roof (1a) in the stored position, in order to control the deployment of the lateral panels (8a, 8b) with relation to the central panel (7).